

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF : Christopher A. Jethrow et al.

FOR : FLUID OVER-FLOW/MAKE-UP AIR

ASSEMBLY FOR REPROCESSOR

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### MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

### **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

#### Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 6, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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# PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective January 1, 2003

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